

California Environmental Protection Agency



NORTH COAST REGION

Regional Water Quality Control Board

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North Coast Region: An area of remote wilderness and towering redwoods, which stretches from the Oregon border to Marin County. Its 320- mile-long coastline includes estuaries and environmentally sensitive areas protected by state law. Timber harvesting, agriculture, recreation, and tourism are mainstays of the local economy. The area's population centers are Humboldt Bay and Santa Rosa. Headquarters for the Regional Board is in Santa Rosa. All or parts of the following counties are in the Region: Del Norte, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Marin, Mendocino, Modoc, Siskiyou, Sonoma, and Trinity.

Job Opportunity

EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Exempt Position

(You do not have to be a State employee to apply)

Annual Salary: \$89,376 - \$96,672

Final File Date: April 14, 2003

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A LEADER IN PRESERVING CALIFORNIA'S MOST PRECIOUS RESOURCE?
ARE YOU INTERESTED IN GUIDING A HIGHLY MOTIVATED STAFF OF INDIVIDUALS DEDICATED
TO PROTECTING AND IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF CALIFORNIA'S WATER?**

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

The North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) is seeking a motivated individual interested in leading a multidisciplinary staff of approximately 100 in their effort to preserve and protect water quality and control water pollution for California's North Coast. Under the policy direction of the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board, the Executive Officer formulates and directs programs designed to protect the quality and beneficial uses of surface waters and groundwaters in the North Coast. The Regional Board's other activities include region-wide policy development and program coordination with other local, state and federal jurisdictions, the eight other Regional Boards, the State Water Resources Control Board and the California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA). The North Coast Regional Board headquarters is located in beautiful Santa Rosa, largest city in Sonoma County, and is nestled in the center of the famous Sonoma Wine County. This warm and friendly city is an urban blend of art and culture, food, wine and recreation. Santa Rosa is located 55 miles north of San Francisco and only 30 miles east of the Pacific Ocean, is close to more than 200 wineries in Sonoma County, and is home to the recently completed Charles M. Schulz Museum.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS

Applicants should demonstrate the ability to effectively implement Regional Board policy and perform high-level administrative work. They should show how they would be a successful and creative leader managing a diverse regulatory workload and integrating these varied activities to attain common program objectives. They should possess experience in planning, organizing and directing the activities of a multidisciplinary staff working to develop and implement complex regulatory programs. Further, the most successful applicants will demonstrate that they can develop and maintain cooperative working relationships with members of the general public, community-based groups, the regulated community and representatives of all levels of government, including Cal/EPA Boards, Departments and Offices, the Administration and the Legislature.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Experience: At least five years of broad, responsible, professional experience in one or more of the following: public administration; water quality program management; environmental management; environmental, civil, or sanitary engineering, or related fields providing similar experiences. At least two years of the required experience must have included supervisory responsibility for a professional staff involving the direction, preparation, and carrying out of programs in these fields.

EDUCATION

Equivalent to graduation from college with a degree in public administration, environmental, civil, chemical or sanitary engineering, environmental law, biological or physical sciences or related fields. Multiple or advanced degrees in these or related fields are desirable.

HOW TO APPLY All interested applicants may file a resume with the State Water Resources Control Board, 1001 I Street, 18th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, Attention: Personnel/Dina Perrone, or applicants may e-mail their resume to perrd@das.swrcb.ca.gov prior to the final filing date of **April 14, 2003**. All applicants meeting the minimum qualifications will be referred to the North Coast Regional Board. Interviews may or may not be held.

Equal Opportunity Employer to all regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, marital status, disability, religious or political affiliation, age or sexual orientation.